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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Materiel Branch

SUBJECT : Malfunction Report for November 1959

1. Detachment B reported a malfunction on Mission 8652, 19 November 1959. The plastic insulator insert for the cap of the Capstan motor on the System VI Slave Recorder slipped out of position and interfered with proper motor operation. The inserts will be removed in the future and the inside of the caps will be sprayed with Krylon Insulating paint.

2. Detachment C reports a failure in the return ferry flight of Mission 6046. The Master and A. C. generator switches were inadvertently thrown at altitude which applies full power to the cold equipment and resulted in the failure of the System III. An examination of the tape indicates a failure of the third local oscillator board.

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